## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: David DeRogatis et al.		) Group Art Unit: 3679
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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.121

In response to the Office Action mailed December 20, 2005, the following amendments and remarks were submitted on March 20, 2006, for the Examiner's consideration. However, in response to that Amendment, a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment was mailed on June 6, 2006. The present response includes only the corrected sections of the previously filed Amendment. As such, this response is submitted in response to that Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and supplements the Amendment filed on March 20, 2006; thus, the compliant portions of that prior Amendment remain pending, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.121. The Applicants note that the one month deadline for filing the present revised Amendment is July 6, 2006; thus, this response is timely.

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